

MISSOURI STATE BOARD OF HEALTH  
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Carlisle  
40480  
Do not use this space.

1. PLACE OF DEATH

(a) County Pettis Registration District No. 668  
(b) Township Sedalia Primary Registration District No. 3032 Registered No. 312  
(c) City Sedalia (d) Street No. Bothwell Hospital St.  
(If death occurred in Hospital or Institution, write its name instead of street and number)  
(e) Length of residence in city or town where death occurred yrs. mos. ds. (f) How long in U. S., if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. ds.

2. PRINT FULL NAME

Franklin Lee Houk  
(a) Residence, No. 317 North Prospect St. ☐  
(Usual place of abode, if no street address, write county or city) (If nonresident, give city or town and State)

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX Male 4. COLOR OR RACE White 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) Single  
5A. IF MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED HUSBAND OF (OR) WIFE OF  
6. DATE OF BIRTH (MONTH, DAY, AND YEAR) Mar. 31, 1933  
7. AGE YEARS 6 MONTHS 7 DAYS 2 If LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.

8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as sawyer, bookkeeper, etc. School  
9. Industry or business in which work was done, as saw mill, bank, etc.  
10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year) 11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation

12. BIRTHPLACE (CITY OR TOWN) Sedalia, Mo. (STATE OR COUNTRY)

FATHER 13. NAME Martin Franklin Houk 14. BIRTHPLACE (CITY OR TOWN) Jamestown, Mo. (STATE OR COUNTRY)

MOTHER 15. MAIDEN NAME Marjorie Pauline Garst 16. BIRTHPLACE (CITY OR TOWN) Leeds, N.D. (STATE OR COUNTRY)

17. INFORMANT Martin F. Houk (ADDRESS) Sedalia, Mo.

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL PLACE Smithton, Mo. DATE Nov. 4, 1939

19. FUNERAL DIRECTOR (NAME) Gillespie Funeral Home (ADDRESS) Sedalia, Mo.

20. FILED Nov 3 1939 Mrs Harry Sneed local Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY, AND YEAR) Nov. 3, 1939 19  
22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from Oct 19th 1939, to Nov 2nd 1939  
I last saw him alive on Nov 2nd 1939 Death is said to have occurred on the date stated above, at 1:10 P.M.  
The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

① Acute Appendicitis  
② General Septicemia  
③ Terminal Bilateral Pneumonia  
④ Rt. Poor Abscess  
Other contributory causes of importance:  
Impetigo of Legs with Secondary Infection.

Name of operation Appendectomy Date of 10-24-39  
What test confirmed diagnosis? Finding Was there an autopsy? No

23. If death was due to external causes (violence), fill in also the following:  
Accident, suicide, or homicide? No Date of injury Nov, 1939  
Where did injury occur? (Specify city or town, county, and State)  
Specify whether injury occurred in industry, in home, or in public place.

Manner of injury No  
Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?  
If so, specify No  
(Signed) John B. Carlisle M.D. M. D.  
(Address) Sedalia Mo.

RECEIVED  
District Health Officer No. 8,  
District File Number  
Date Filed 1/18/39

### STATEMENT BY LICENSED EMBALMER

I hereby certify that the body whose name is recorded on the reverse side of this certificate was embalmed by me, or by.....

....., Registered Apprentice No.....  
working under my personal supervision.

Signed.....

Licensed Embalmer No. 3868

P. O. Address Sedalia, Mo.

**Note: The above MUST BE SIGNED BY THE LICENSED EMBALMER in his OWN HANDWRITING. (Failure to comply with the above constitutes grounds for revocation of license.)**

If this body is not embalmed, above space should be left blank.